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CLEWISTON TOWNSITE IS BOUGHT BY GROUP OF ST. LOUIS DEVELOPERS

O'Brien, Dunkle, Wagg
Sell 2,800 Acres
For \$300,000

DEAL BY FRYHOFER

Buyers Have A 70,000-
Acre Tract Adjacent
For Development

WEST PALM BEACH, Oct. 6.—An article in the Palm Beach Post today says announcement was made last night of the sale of the townsite of Clewiston at a price said to have been \$300,000. The townsite contains 2,800 acres. It was purchased by Isaac T. Cook, constructionist, of St. Louis, Mo., and his associates. Interested in the syndicate and in 70,000 acres of Everglades lands surrounding Clewiston are W. K. Bixby, of the American Cigar Company of St. Louis; Paul Brown, American Tobacco Company, St. Louis, and A. Walberg, fiber board manufacturer of Chicago.

The deal was consummated by George Fryhofer, Northwood sales manager. The seller was John J. O'Brien of Palm Beach and Clewiston, who had associated with him in ownership of the townsite Alfred H. Wagg and D. F. Dunkle.

Plans as drawn by John Nolen, city planner of Cambridge, Mass., will be followed, it was announced, in developing Clewiston, which is situated on the south shores of Lake Okechobee. The fact that the new townsite rights are the latter's property, it was said that a lengthy seawall will be built, a beach established and the general waterfront improved. At the same time, improvement of the farming acreage held by the foregoing financiers and business men will be continued. A considerable work already has been done looking toward the complete drainage and making arable of the rich lands. The drainage district for this purpose has been formed and installation of the drainage ditches is being carried on. It was announced that a system of pumps will be provided which will maintain a water level at all times. With this acreage, it is believed, will be devoted to the growing of sugar cane.

Clewiston is located three miles west of Palm Beach County's western line in Hendry county, 20 miles west of La Belle. It is at the terminus of the Atlantic Coast Line branch railroad that is operated under the name of the Moore Haven & Clewiston railroad, and takes its name from the name of the Tampa banker, Lewis, who is in partnership with J. J. O'Brien in the railroad deal and land purchases. Mr. Lewis still owns land in the vicinity of Clewiston.

Isaac T. Cook, referred to in the above article as one of the buyers of the townsite, is a St. Louis real-estate operator who held bonds issued several years ago, by the National Farm Estates, which took over some of the holdings of the South Florida Farms Company. Colonel Paul Brown seems also to have held some of the bonds. When the National Farm Estates property was foreclosed, Mr. Cook and Colonel Brown bought it in, the property consisting of about 65,000 acres west of Clewiston. Recently Mr. Cook made sale of part of the land to Mr. Walberg and Mr. Bixby. Ownership of the Clewiston townsite will give them docks and railroad outlets.

Writing from St. Louis under date of October 4, before the Clewiston deal was announced, Mr. Cook replied in answer to questions as to his deals for the sale of land to Mr. Bixby and Mr. Walberg: "We have some deals under contract but they are not yet ready to announce, therefore we prefer that you say nothing about them. We will send you details as soon as we are ready to release them."

STOVAL TO RETURN

W. G. Stoval, who farmed on East Beach a few years ago and established the East Beach News, was in Canal Point the latter part of last week. He said he would farm 100 to 150 acres at the Conners Farms at Canal Point this winter. While he was living at Pahokee Mr. Stoval entered W. J. Conners' employ and for two years he has lived at Okechobee, where he farmed, as claimed by Mr. Conners.

DEAN NEWELL VISITS BELLE GLADE STATION

Wilmon Newell of Gainesville, dean of the Florida Agricultural College, stopped in Canal Point Monday en route home from Dade county, where he took part in a conference on methods of combating railroad rust in the tomato fields. A total of \$15,000 has been made up from four sources to defray the cost of studying the disease. Before coming to Canal Point, Dr. Newell had turned off at 20-mile bend and gone to Belle Glade, where he visited the Everglades Experiment station, which is operated in connection with the Gainesville head station. He said that the engine to operate the Menger centrifugal pump had not been installed and that the water table was getting high in the Belle Glade station fields.

BOATS UNLOAD AT RAILROAD STATION

F. E. C. Will Make Convenient
Arrangement For Shippers
Of Vegetables

Lumber for the Florida East Coast railroad freight and passenger stations at Canal Point and Pahokee is expected shortly. When Captain Clay Johnson took his steamerboat, the Osceola, out Monday it was with the understanding that it would be loaded at St. Lucie canal with construction material. "What a slip will be dug and piles driven for packing houses on the water front along the railroad, and contractors, but the exact locations of the several buildings has not been announced officially."

The American Engineering Company, Canal Point, this week was engaged in the work of supplementing the drag-line machine, operated by M. F. Myers under a sub-contract. The land labor is being done by negroes employed by Walker, who has a sub-contract from the American Engineering Company.

A pile driver was brought to Canal Point early this week through West Palm Beach canal. It had been used by the Union Bridge Company in making a foundation for the railroad bridge over the canal at Canalpoint and was taken in tow by Captain Clay Johnson at Military Trail. This rig is the second of the kind on the railroad bridge job at Canal Point.

The north abutment of the Canal Point railroad bridge was finished this week and the sheet piling was pulled Wednesday. Placing of the two piers in the canal will start this week. Railroad surveys have run the line down the lake front past Conners packing house and the red-top packing house along the Pahokee dock, where, it is understood, shipments from the Hillsboro canal communities will be received.

Immobile Extension?

PORT MYERS, Oct. 5.—The last link in the chain will soon be forged and South Florida will have a railroad loop connecting Tampa with Miami via Fort Myers. Last week's surveyors, under Engineer Shepherd began at Immokalee to make the final survey for a railroad along Barron G. Collier's high grade on to Everglades, the county seat of Collier county.

MR. FREEMAN TO PLANT CANE

Louis G. Freeman of Cincinnati, O., will not establish a sugar mill on his land on Pelican Bay south of Pahokee but he will plant at least half a section, or 320 acres, to sugar cane as soon as he is assured that a tram road will be built between his land and the Florida Sugar & Food Products Company's mill at Canal Point. He explained that he had not added two sections of land to his section 8 and the purchase of section 7 having been made from the state by the late Dr. J. L. Holmberg of Miami. Mr. Freeman stopped in Canal Point the first of the week in company with Ben Dupuch, his farm manager.

Deer's Swimming Suit

In winter the fur of the deer is specially adapted for swimming. The hairs are composed of Mr. cells and when the coat is about an inch long it will suffice to float him. Most of the bucks shed their antlers in January.—From Nature History.

Remember Jonah

When you are down in the mouth, remember Jonah. He came out all right.

CANAL OVERFLOWS ABUTTING LAND

Tallahassee-Directed Drainage
System Falls Again In
Crucial Time

CROPS ARE SET BACK;
FARMERS LOSE HEAVILY

Is Inevitable Consequence of
Commissioners' Failure To
Deepen Canal

To the great discomfiture of farmers in the Canal Point-Pahokee district, water in West Palm Beach canal rose Tuesday morning to an elevation of 16.5 feet above sea level, changed the current of lateral ditches and backed water up on fields which plantings of vegetables had been made and brought other preparations for winter crops to a standstill in a large area.

At the 16.5-foot level Sunday morning all of the field ditches south of the main canal were dry and the movement of water in Pahokee district ditch was off the land. By Monday afternoon the canal had raised half a foot. When on Tuesday morning the canal water at elevation 16.5 forced open the gates of the lock at Canal Point the utter infirmity of West Palm Beach canal to function in time of stress was demonstrated.

Cessation of rain and disposal of more water through the spillway at West Palm Beach is hoped for, but the loss to farmers amounts to thousands of dollars. Expected benefits from ditches and canals around Canal Point have been negated by the inability of the main canal to accommodate the water run to it.

Rise of the main canal was not unexpected, because September and October rainfall, the heaviest of the season, has been the cause of the small section dredge Reclaimer, working in sand in the east end of West Palm Beach canal, has not at any time promised a sufficient enlargement of the canal within a reasonable period, and the commissioners of the Everglades drainage district made no provision for use of a dredge to remove rock shoals. At last report water was being held at 16 feet at the canal, and capacity, evidenced by the spillway is resented as having sufficient capacity to discharge far more water than is moving through the canal.

CAPTAIN PRICE BACK

When the McCoy Line boat Crocodile came in Tuesday noon from Moore Haven, Captain William R. Price was back and has resumed command of the Crocodile after a vacation of several weeks which was spent at Kennerlyville, Md., his old home.

BRIDGE BUILDING RIG MOVES TO SOUTH BAY

Contractor Powell took his bridge-building outfit through the Canal Point lock Saturday, en route to South Bay, where he will erect a bridge over North New River canal. When he has put in the bridge at South Bay he will move to Miami canal and place a bridge there. Material for both bridges is on the ground. Mr. Powell said that he would finish the Miami canal bridge by the first week in January. He had just completed a bridge over West Palm Beach canal at Military Trail that will lead Okechobee road into Lake Worth.

County Division Is Proposed

Division of Palm Beach county and creation of "Conners county" will be proposed at the next session of the Florida legislature, according to a rumor that has been in circulation for several weeks. If the proposal has been discussed and supported at group conferences in West Palm Beach and in the Everglades, according to The Everglades News, prominent identity of the persons active in promoting the project is withheld for the present at their request.

The proposal is for the division of Palm Beach county on the line between ranges 39 and 40, the new county to take in the greater part of the muck lands. This would locate the line near the bend in West Palm Beach canal, half way between the coast and Lake Okechobee. The varying of the proposal is that the division be made on the line of the edge of the Everglades, which would make a narrow strip

PAHOKEE

PROCLAMATION

In view of the fact that delegates to the State Convention of Florida Real Estate Board and other visitors will come to our city Thursday, October 16, and that it is desirable that our city present a good appearance, Monday, October 13, is hereby declared a "Clean-Up Day" and citizens are called upon to act accordingly. Trash and rubbish should be removed from yards of dwelling places and from the streets and alleys and from around packing houses and public places.

HOMER VIVIAN, Mayor.

200 REALTORS WILL VISIT EAST BEACH

Woman's Club and Chamber of
Commerce Will Provide
Chicken Dinner

On the conclusion of the state convention of the Florida Real Estate Boards at West Palm Beach Wednesday of next week, two hundred or more of the delegates will visit East Beach Thursday. The visitors will be provided with a chicken and fish dinner at Pahokee at noon. The trip through the Everglades on Conners Highway to Lake Okechobee is part of the entertainment provided the delegates by the committee on the Palm Beach county real estate board.

The dinner will be served at Pahokee in order to have protection from possible rain showers, a tomato packing shed being available for use there. The Pahokee Woman's Club will serve the dinner. Arrangements for the entertainment at Pahokee were made through the Pahokee Chamber of Commerce, which was alert to the advertisement in the real estate men see their country.

BELLE GLADE

Mrs. Ross Greesh, who has been in Miami all summer, have returned to resume their farming operations with his brother, Mr. Greesh, says he is glad to be back where he can get tender vegetables again. He says that sand grown one are tough and tasteless compared with those grown on muck. We know that all the time.

W. C. Robbins has sold his home to Hubie Boree, and with his family has gone to the coast. We predict he will be back, though.

The hum of tractors is again heard on all sides, after a few days' lull because of heavy rains. Two and even three in a field are not uncommon sights.

One of our farmers lost his reputation for veracity the other day. He was showing a party of northerners some of the heavy rains. He was asked by one of them how long the bean field they were looking at had been planted. His reply of "two weeks" convinced them that he was a cheater.

Quite a few fields of beans are up and are looking well. Besides beans, peas, sweet corn, potatoes, tomatoes, peppers and eggplants are being planted on an extensive scale.

W. C. Badger returned from the small island of Camp Perry Sunday. As expected, he gave a good account of himself, winning three medals.

CONSTRUCTION CHIEF

Chief Engineer Oberdorfer of the Florida East Coast Railway Company, selected in Canal Point the latter part of last week, accompanied by two building contractors from Charleston, S. C., who may take the contract for erecting the station buildings at Pahokee and Canal Point.

BEATS TO CHICAGO ON FIFTH MORNING

F. E. C. Railroad Traffic Man-
ager Gives Schedule of
Freight Shipments

LEAVE PAHOKEE 6 P. M.
AFTER DAY LOADING

Due To Arrive At Jacksonville
At Noon Next Day; Con-
nections Are Close

Under the schedule on which the Florida East Coast Railway Company will operate, it is that passengers will leave Jacksonville for Miami on the lower east coast and that trains from East Beach loaded to move at 6 o'clock will reach Jacksonville for the same connection for shipments from Fort Lauderdale and Pompano and Deerfield loaded at the same hour.

The information from Freight Traffic Manager Kirtland as to the schedule is contained in his letter of October 1, as follows:

Mr. Howard Sharp, Editor, The Everglades News, Canal Point, Fla.

"My dear Mr. Sharp: Referring to your letter of September 28, regarding contemplated schedules between Canal Point and principal vegetable markets:

"Departing from Pahokee 6 p. m. arriving at Jacksonville:

"Atlanta, third morning market.

"Birmingham, third morning market.

"Chattanooga, third morning market.

"Nashville, third day at noon for fourth morning market.

"Richmond, fourth morning market.

"Memphis, fourth morning market.

"St. Louis, fourth day, for fifth morning market.

"Cincinnati, fourth morning market.

"Detroit, fifth morning market.

"Cleveland, fifth day at noon for sixth morning market.

"New York, fifth morning market.

"Pittsburg, sixth morning market.

"Boston, sixth morning market, via N. Y. N. H. & H. at New York.

"Baltimore, fourth day, afternoon, for fifth morning market.

"Philadelphia, fifth morning market.

"Buffalo, fifth morning market.

"Buffalo, sixth day at noon, for seventh morning market.

"While we expect to be able to make this schedule on a large portion of the crop, we cannot guarantee the service for the reason that the connection at Jacksonville is very close. We will attempt to get the East Beach train into Jacksonville at noon, but the Atlantic Coast Line connection is scheduled to leave at 12:20, Southern Railway at 11:30 a. m. and the Seaboard at 5:20 p. m. These connections will hold for as much as 5 p. m. with the exception that the Coast Line cannot make west bond connections on cars delivered to them after the time of their scheduled departure. Five p. m. is the latest hour they will hold the departing time of their train and for that deferred departure they require delivery to them two hours prior to the departure hour.

We expect to give special switch movement from Jacksonville to our interchange with connecting lines on the Jacksonville side, but as you can see, the connection is so close we would not guarantee it. Yours very truly,

"F. W. KIRTLAND."

WANTS EXHIBITS FOR FAIR

R. A. Conkling of West Palm Beach, who has resumed the duties of county agricultural demonstration agent, called Wednesday and yesterday on farmers and the Pahokee-Canal Point district. He has again been put in charge of exhibits of Palm Beach county products at the Jacksonville fair, which opens on November 20. Mr. Conkling will not be able to see all of the farmers of the county and he asks through The Everglades News that farmers who have good products save specimens and write to him about them.

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AROUND THE LAKE

When a barge carrying a pile driver passed through West Palm Beach canal at Canal Point Saturday it tore out the wire of the Conners Highway telephone line. The canals in the Everglades drainage system are not navigation canals and the usual rules about not obstructing navigation do not apply here. The indifference of lake and canal boatmen toward telephone wire damage is a shameful thing.

August Swanson of Lakeport, Glades county, who spent the summer at Hendersonville, N. C., has returned to West Palm Beach, where he is making his home with his daughter, Mrs. George L. Gray, until conditions are fit for his return to Lakeport.

PEOPLE WE KNOW

M. A. Mackie, for a term bookkeeper

for the board of county commissioners of Palm Beach County, is now employed with the Broward County Abstract & Title Company at Fort Lauderdale. He writes directing that his paper be sent to him at Fort Lauderdale hereafter instead of to Lake Worth.

Dr. Thomas E. Will, formerly of Okeelanta and now a resident of Fort Lauderdale, has a plan for organization of a special road and bridge district in the southwestern part of Palm Beach county and connecting it with a similar district in the adjoining part of Broward county in order that bonds be voted for a road from Fort Lauderdale

Dr. E. D. Harris, who owns a farm on Kraemer Island, writes from Gulfport, Miss., under date of October 1. "Last Saturday the paper failed to come. Send another. I don't like to miss even one, for that region grows so fast I get behind if I miss one week's issue. I expect to be back on the lake shortly. The message is written on a post card that shows a blueberry bush and Dr. Harris says he expects to plant several of the bushes on his Kraemer Island farm this winter. He is in the veterans rehabilitation hospital at Gulfport, Miss., and expects to be home in a few days."

CONNERS' HIGHWAY TO PLACE TOURIST AID

To aid tourists in reaching their destinations in Florida the Connors Highway within the next two or three weeks will set up and maintain information booths at Lake City and Jacksonville and will distribute 25,000 copies of log book.

This book, it was said, will show a

routes and the conditions of all roads through the ridge section of the state. Although the 'Connors' representative at the booths at Lake City and Jacksonville will give out gratuitously information as to the conditions of roads in the state, the log book will urge travel over the central routes.

Makes Flowers Bloom.
By developing electric light to a intensity one-fourth that of the sun's rays, experimenters have been able to make flowers bloom at a predetermined time, and to mature vegetables in from two to three weeks.

EXPECT BIG SEASON
R. J. Clarke, proprietor of the Moon Haven-Fort Myers bus line with which the McCoy Line boats connect, stopped in Canal Point Tuesday en route

West Palm Beach. He will confer with E. D. Sims, manager of the McCoy Line, and other transportation heads and make up the winter schedule. Mr. Clarke is prepared for a big volume

Ocean's Salt Content.
Variations in the salt content of different parts of the North Atlantic are to be surveyed which will result

in more accurate knowledge of the paths taken by ocean currents, as different currents usually differ appreciably in the amount of salt they contain.

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Southbound
No. 85 Coaches-Sleepers 1:25 AM
No. 37 Coaches-Sleepers 8:55 AM
No. 29 Chair and Parlor 9:30 PM
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No. 30 Coaches and Parlor 8:30 AM
No. 38 Coaches-Sleepers 7:40 PM

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South Bay, Fla.
PALM BEACH COUNTY

OKEECHOBEE

OKEECHOBEE, Oct. 6.—L. L. Wingate, who bought the Clint Bass dairy a short time ago, has now bought the J. Frazier herd and milk route, which gives him 16 head of cows. Henry Anderson, formerly of Douglas, Ga., is in charge of the dairy.

The city's \$150,000 issue of bonds to extend and improve the water-works and sewage systems and provide for paving, was sold to the Bank of Okeechobee at 96 1/2%.

W. E. Holmes has been appointed building inspector.

The postmaster has been allowed another clerk and mail will now be handled more promptly. A move is under way to move the post office to larger quarters.

The American Power & Light Company is negotiating for the purchase of the stock of the Southern Utilities Company, which owns the electric light plant here.

BROWARD COUNTY

FORT LAUDERDALE, Oct. 4.—Grafton Johnson and associates of Miami have awarded to Cheshire & Turner a contract for building five miles of rock roads on the 9000-acre tract northwest of Colohatchee river which runs as far north as Pompano canal. The roads will connect with county "Rock island" road and must be completed in 180 working days. The land that is to be so improved is muck and is known as part of the Everglades.

E. A. Pynchon has taken a sub-contract for the cement work on the causeway from the Tidewater Construction Company. Contract for a steel bridge across Dania cut-off canal has been let by the county commissioners to the Champion Bridge Company, represented by Quinn & Powell. The price is \$17,000. The location is two miles west of Dania, on the Davis road.

Chief Engineer Fred C. Elliot of the Everglades drainage district has reiterated to County Engineer Davis of Broward county that contract for deepening North River canal will be let within 30 days. The county is to build a road on the bank of the canal.

SOUTH FLORIDA
To get the Scenic Highway "Coast" course in shape, practically everybody in Avon Park turned out this week and did half a day's work. Several new bunkers were raised, grass was sown, weeds chopped out and rest shelters erected. A town with people like that is bound to go ahead.

Financing of the \$200,000 hotel at Homestead has been completed, W. D. Horne wired last week from New York. The building will be located on a 5-acre plot at Krome Avenue and Kings Highway.

Putting the city in shape for inspection by visitors winter residents of Fort Myers has completed a clean-up campaign, of which they are very proud. Orders for 650 settees to be placed at various places of the city for the convenience of tourists have been received from Tampa merchants by Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

This imitates St. Petersburg. We might do something of the same sort on East Beach, on the canal bank and on the lake front.

Professor Henderson, formerly of Okeechobee, is now the principal of the LaBelle school.

The Artesian Land Company, of which D. C. Gillett of Tampa is president, has sold 10,000 acres of land in Hillsboro and Manatee counties to the Van Swearingen brothers of Cleveland, Ohio, who recently consolidated several northern railroad systems. The purchase price is said to have been around \$500,000.

G. M. Heitman, president of the Lee County Telephone Company, says he has placed orders for complete new equipment for the Fort Myers exchange. Whether the cross-state telephone line goes south of Lake Okeechobee to Fort Myers or north of the lake through Okeechobee and Avon Park is to be determined. It is understood by the way in which connecting lines are built up and maintained.

Looks as if Mr. Heitman was to try to get the cross-state line for his city.

J. R. Randall, who had a lease on the Moore Haven Hotel, has leased the Bradford at Fort Myers.

A Detroit corporation (names of the incorporators not given) is to build a two million dollar hotel on the bay shore, the Miami Herald says.

Belief that a large Republican vote will be polled in this congressional election was expressed by G. W. Dingman, Republican candidate for congress, when he visited Miami last week to consult with party leaders.

A royal palm in Fort Myers that was planted 25 years ago, has been moved and transplanted. It is between 45 and 50 feet in height. The market value of the palm is estimated at \$275 to \$300. In St. Petersburg even more has been paid for good large royal palms.

Yes, Be Sure.
To keep young, fast young is all right, but be sure folks understand your motive when you are cutting up antics.

That's Different.
The difference between eating your bread upon the water and loaning money to friends is that the bread cast upon the waters comes back after many days.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

FRYHOFFER BACK FOR SEASON

Palm Beach Times
George Fryhofer, general sales manager for the Northwood Development Company, has returned to the city after an extensive trip through the north and west getting a line on winter business for the firm. During his travels this summer Mr. Fryhofer visited New York city, Washington, St. Louis and other large cities in the interest of his company as well as for pleasure.

Mr. Fryhofer as many others who have returned from the north and west have nothing but praise for Florida and its future prospects as reflected by the opinions of northern people. He predicts Florida's greatest season and states Palm Beach county is to get everything it has desired and no doubt more than has been anticipated.

He remarks that his interest in Florida since his trip has increased at least ten times and that he believes that the entire world will move down here, if indications at this time mean anything.

CAR IN CANAL

Racing on Conners Highway, Thursday night of last week, an automobile driven by Mr. Walters, who runs the cross-state filling station, went into the canal. Crickett Cross, who patrols the highway, summoned Jack Barrett and they found that Walters and a Mr. Vane, salesman for an oil company, companion of Walters, were injured. Charles Miller, third occupant of the car, was not hurt. Walters was left at his home at 20-mile bend and Vane was taken to the hospital. Later Mr. Walters was removed to a hospital in West Palm Beach. Contractor Powell's pile driver was used to pull the car out of the canal.

GLADES COUNTY

MOORE HAVEN, Oct. 6.—The G. W. Smith store building in block 1 of Moore Haven has been sold to William Schriber of St. Petersburg. T. T. Walker, another St. Petersburg man, has bought town property and a 20-acre farm on the river. He is working on the Dixie hotel now and will bring his family here. Henry N. Cerner, a Tampa photographer, has bought 160 acres of land a mile and a half south of town. Joseph J. Akers of Grove City, Pa., is reported to have made a purchase from the Stone Development Company.

County Commissioners J. H. Peeples and L. M. Allen, County Engineer Henry S. Gove and Sheriff Frank Richards went to Miami last week and presented to the Curtis-Bright Company a proposal for the change of route of the road from Moore Haven to the junction with state road No. 8. Mr. Bright told the delegation that his purchase of a large tract of land in Glades county was based on the location of the road and he was not willing that the route be changed. He added that his company was prepared to do a good deal of drainage work on their lands, and the delegation concluded that that work would be as advantageous as the work proposed to be done by the county on a new road location. So all is well.

Moore Haven—the Wonder City of Magic South—is the "slogan" made a composite from many suggestions tendered to the Luchsen Club committee. The next thing is to use the slogan.

The Moore Haven Sales Company, of which Sam Cottrell is manager, has bought the Pope property and will enlarge its working space.

County Tax Collectors Paul Moore and family have returned from a vacation touring trip that included all of the important cities on the west coast.

Things to Worry About.
Canton, China, is surrounded by walls of brick and sandstone, twenty-five to forty feet high and twenty feet thick.

Yes, indeed.
There are men of concealed fire that doth not break out in the ordinary circumstances of life.

But Who Are Guilty?
American Visitor (in London).—"Say, Walter, doesn't anybody ever laugh in this hotel?" Walter—"Well, yes, sir, we have had complaints."—Passing Show.

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Electric light plant.
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Five packing houses.
Three general stores.
Telephone connection.
Graded and high school.
Moving picture showhouse.
Best soil and climate for winter vegetables.

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PAHOKEE

Pahokee Woman's Club Meets

The regular monthly business meeting of the Woman's Club was held Monday afternoon. Owing to bad weather, only a small number of ladies attended.

An excellent report was made on the club's finances by the treasurer. The ice cream sale held Saturday night brought \$38, which with last month's balance and annual dues paid showed a balance of \$213 in the treasury at this time.

As the club is in need of a club building every effort is being made to raise a fund for the erection of one on a lot recently bought by the club from the East Beach Land Company. Ways and means of raising the money were discussed. Bills were ordered paid and plans made for selling cake and cream next Saturday at the Spooner Drug store, which was offered to the club by Mrs. C. L. Wilder for that afternoon and evening as at present the ladies have no place of their own at which to hold public affairs.

One new member, Mrs. W. Cross, was taken into the club and a donation of \$14 made to the Pahokee school for some playground equipment. A request from the Pahokee Chamber of Commerce made to the club to help entertain the real estate men on the 16th was granted and plans discussed for the dinner, which the Chamber of Commerce expect to provide the visitors. A committee was appointed to meet with the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening and definitely arrange for the dinner which it was expected would be held entirely in the hands of the Woman's Club.

The domestic arts committee arranged for the next program to be held at the home of Mrs. C. E. Ackers, chairman of that department, and Miss H. C. Everingham on the afternoon of Monday, October 20th, and the meeting adjourned.

C. L. Wilder Buys Spooner Holdings
C. L. Wilder of Pahokee and Plant City last week closed a deal with Dr. D. S. Spooner whereby he became possessor of the properties well known to Everglades people as the Spooner Theatre, Spooner Drug store and electric light plant. Dr. Spooner, reserved only his office in the transaction. Mr. Wilder took charge of the properties Saturday.

The theatre was operated Saturday night by its new owner and was well patronized—practically every seat being filled.

CHURCH SERVICES SUNDAY

Methodist Church.

Sunday school and preaching services as usual.

W. J. Nease, Pastor.

Baptist Church
Sunday school, singing, B. Y. P. U. as usual.

F. W. Nolte, Pastor.

What's going on in Florida now is something for folks to tell their grandchildren about.

LOCALS AND PERSONALS

Mercer Treadler was a caller in Pahokee Tuesday.

Mrs. J. S. Gray made a trip to West Palm Beach Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hull of Plant City have moved to East Beach to make their home.

Heavy rains have fallen here nearly every day during the past week and much of this week.

A box supper will be held at Pahokee next Friday night, October 10, for the benefit of the Pahokee Basket Ball team.

Miss Hazel Orwig and Mr. and Mrs. E. Roberts of West Palm Beach were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Barfield.

Mrs. D. S. Spooner is improving rapidly at Good Samaritan hospital in West Palm Beach and may be able to return to her home here Sunday.

Ice cream and cake on sale Saturday afternoon and night at the Spooner Drug store by the Woman's Club. Help the club, help your town, and last but not least, help yourself.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Zimmerman of West Palm Beach paid a visit to Pahokee Thursday of last week. Mr. Zimmerman has property here. Four years ago he offered 10 acres here in section 18 for \$3000; three months ago he offered lots about the size of the same for \$1000. Now, the property is off the market altogether, showing his optimistic outlook of Pahokee's future.

A report of a meeting of the board of county commissioners, printed in the Palm Beach Post last week, had this paragraph: "Along with the moves to save the ocean front came also requests for improved roads in the Everglades."

A petition signed by more than 20 voters and Woman's Club representatives of the East Beach district asked for relief for what they termed a practically impassable road connecting Pahokee, Canal Point and Bacom Point. The condition of the thoroughfare, it was said, was interfering with the movement of crops; transportation of school children and all other traffic. No action was taken on the communication yesterday.

Tiffin's Meat Market

W. O. Tiffin, well known on East Beach, has taken over the meat market and produce department in W. J. Larrimore's store and will open for business this Friday morning. Appreciating the importance of maintaining a sanitary condition, he will ask that the Woman's Club have a committee inspect the market at intervals. He will carry western meat as well as Florida and have a line of vegetables.

The Florida Everglades is a great region; the best of it is on the shores of Lake Okeechobee, the second largest freshwater lake in the United States. Unlike new soils elsewhere, the soils of the Lake Okeechobee region require no preparation other than clearing to be paddy for crops. The country for a mile or two back from the lake is almost proof except at rare intervals, the lake affording the protection from frost. Prodigious yields are obtained from the soil.

Truckers who want land, either by purchase or rental or on a share-cropping arrangement, can find it here now. Much land has been cleared in the past year.

The Florida East Coast railroad will have loading stations on the eastern shore of the lake by the first of December. This will supplement all of the former facilities for getting the winter vegetables to northern and coast markets.

Persons who are interested should write to The Everglades News, or to the Chamber of Commerce at Pahokee, or to any of the real estate men whose advertisements appear in this paper.

The climatic conditions and the character of the soil make the eastern and the southern shores of Lake Okeechobee exceptionally well adapted to avocados, the most profitable grove proposition that is open anywhere. Advertisements in this paper give the names and addresses of persons who can give detailed information as to the location and price of land proper for avocados and the kind of varieties and the price of trees.

Builders should investigate the opportunities in all of the Lake Okeechobee communities.

Rifle Fence Around Grant Cabin.
A fence of rifle barrels collected from the battle of the Civil war surrounds the cabin in which President Grant once lived when he peddled wood in St. Louis.

Time to Beat It.

Passerby—"Let me ring that bell for you. You are too short." Son—"Now, Mister, we must both run away."

Still, It's Golden.

There is too much praise of silence. Cultivation of silence would make of the world a conversational Sahara.

Worry for Coffee Drinkers.
Constituents of raw coffee besides water, in order of their comparative amounts, are cellulose, fat, protein, caffein, acid, sugar, caffeine, gum dextrin and ash.

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We are pleased with the patronage given us by the long-time residents of East Beach. We shall appreciate also the patronage of new-comers to Pahokee and the Pahokee territory and we invite them to call here and let us supply their wants in General Merchandise.

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WESTERN AND FLORIDA MEATS

W. O. TIFFIN, PROPRIETOR

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PAHOKEE

We have a supply of Fordsons and Farming Implements on hand from which you may select your needs.

Several good used Fordsons have been traded in which we have overhauled and will sell reasonable. Come in and look them over.

PARTS CARRIED IN STOCK

REPAIR WORK A SPECIALTY

CANAL POINT

R. G. Johnson is having material shipped in for avocado boxes in which seed will be planted.

J. W. Means, a Lake Worth banker, and his wife visited Okeechobee over the weekend. It was their first trip to the upper-Everglades on Conners Highway.

The East Beach Land Company, of which Marshall L. is manager, has joined the Palm Beach County Real Estate Board and is now entitled to use the term "realtors."

There is East Beach news on every page of The Everglades News.

Read the advertisements—they are interesting. Some of the most valuable news is in the ads.

Everybody can afford to advertise in The Everglades News. For the classified department the rate is only one cent a word—25 cents minimum.

Homer Brinkley of Fort Myers spent part of two days in Canal Point this week after spending the summer in Booth Bay Harbor, Maine. He was returning home where he is connected with the American Barber Shop.

Charley Stuckey has bought a Fordson tractor through the agency of the Canal Point garage.

A son was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Danson of Jacksonville.

Mrs. Danson is staying at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Knight, while her husband is working in Jacksonville.

Hon. J. C. Luning, state treasurer, and A. H. Boney of Leesburg stopped in Canal Point for supper Wednesday.

They were on their way to South Bay, where they have an investment in the development. They motored to Haines City from Leesburg, expecting to get a train there but as they missed the train they came on through the city and they re-ent the roads as in bad condition.

DeWitt Upthegrove, who runs a passenger car to West Palm Beach, now starts from Pahokee every morning. He is scheduled to leave Pahokee each morning at 7:30. Otherwise the schedule is as printed in another column.

R. A. Conkling, county agent, is out from West Palm Beach today, calling on farmers.

A culvert is being put in four miles north of Canal Point across Conners Highway to drain water off of the F. J. Watkins land. The bridge in the highway at Tynersville has been completed.

Captain Gray's boat, the Bernice, is still making trips to Okeechobee bringing in lumber for the Okeechobee Lumber Company, part of which goes to the sugar company.

The sugar company is still moving houses from the old Hammon farm to the mill on the canal bank.

COUNTY REVENUE

Correct figures for the total assessed valuation of Palm Beach county property, as revealed Tuesday by the county assessor's books, filed in the county clerk's office, are \$12,583,920.00. Of this amount, \$6,450.35 is the assessor's valuation of property sold for taxes and now under state tax certificates, but which is subject to reclamation. Taxes will be due and payable on the remainder from Nov. 1, 1924 to April 1, 1925.

Distribution of taxes on the above assessed valuation, the following distribution will be made:

County	\$128,904.48
State	563,156.69
Special road districts	279,138.79
Special school districts	175,782.20
Special inlet districts	128,205.78
P. B. Dr. and Road district	73,365.78
Glades Dr. district	277,571
Glades Dr. district	175,802.58
P. B. Bridge district	54,897.18
Palm City R. & B. district	2,453.30

Distribution among the special road districts will be as follows:

District 1	\$16,567.35
District 2	17,542.75
District 3	8,428.34
District 4	5,834.41
District 5	3,597.43
District 6	43,175.11
District 7	8,289.16
District 8	16,694.19
District 9	68,871.68
District 10	9,747.84
District 11	21,373.64
District 12	16,591.36
District 13	10,982.84
District 14	32,891.56
District 15	13,610.63

Distribution of the special school district taxes will be as follows:

District 1	\$108,481.76
District 2	8,428.34
District 3	18,592.73
District 4	6,469.24
District 5	10,454.48
District 6	4,082.85
District 7	1,730.14

Inlet districts will be credited as follows:

Jupiter	\$19,425.60
Lake Worth	77,603.60
South Lake Worth	31,176.03

Commenting on the prompt receipts of the tax assessor's books, members of the county commission and others remarked that, except for two years, County Tax Assessor James M. Owens has never been late in submitting a complete and correct statement to the commission, which is an unusually meritorious record.

When Words Flow With Ease, Whatever we well understand we express clearly, and words flow with ease—Boltieu.

Surely, it is. Isn't it queer that the things that people want most to know are usually none of their business?

C. P. H. S. NEWS

Editor—Sadie Cochran.
Assistant Editor—Edward Moody.
Business Manager—S. E. Gamage.
Joke Editor—Witt Guise.

NOTICE

The pupils of the Canal Point High are trying to make the school a senior B grade. To do this a larger library is required. Any donations of books by standard authors will be accepted.

A meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held at the Canal Point High, Friday, October 3. Several things were discussed, the most important being the present water system. It was decided that someone be hired to repair it, the expense to be paid by the Parent-Teachers Association. After this, playground equipment was discussed, and Miss Yvonne Goolsby volunteered to sell ice cream Saturday, October 18, the money to be used to buy a slide. The next meeting will be a social, which will be held Friday, October 31. All parents are urged to attend.

The C. P. H. Athletic Association reports the following donations: J. E. Cochran, \$25; J. S. Gray, \$25; J. E. Carter, \$5; W. H. Vann, \$5; Ray Closson, \$5; R. M. Baker, \$5; Jack Barrett, \$5; Howard Curry, \$5; Doc Tucker, \$5; A. B. Arrants, \$2; T. L. Simmons, \$2; H. L. Knowles, \$1. Total \$90. Anyone wishing to donate, see editor of C. P. H. S. News or the president of the athletic association.

A meeting of the athletic association will be held Wednesday noon to discuss a Halloween carnival to be given Friday, October 31.

The basket ball court will be started the latter part of the week. It is to be built at the Canal Point school.

NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the sewing club Friday noon and all the members and anyone desiring to join are requested to be present.

Sadie Cochran, President.

CANAL POINT

- Hotel.
- Dentist.
- Garage.
- Poolhall.
- Sugar mill.
- Newspaper.
- Post office.
- Barber Shop.
- High school.
- Lumber yard.
- Two bus lines.
- Two restaurants.
- Two mails a day.
- Ice cream parlor.
- Methodist church.
- Cross-state highway.
- Four filling stations.
- Railroad building in.
- Eleven connections.
- Two real estate offices.
- Four boat lines on lake and canal.
- Four general merchandise stores.

As a Rule She Is.

After making a strenuous effort to marry the man of her choice a woman is apt to be badly disappointed if she succeeds.

Crises point out what the public ought not to like, and after that a good many of the public go on pretending they don't.

Bad Temper.

Bad temper is its own scourge. Few things are bitterer than to feel bitter. A man's venom poisons himself more than his victim.—Charles Buxton.

Uncle Eben Says—

"You loses de benefit of religion," said Uncle Eben, "if whut you gets out of it is an argument instead of consolation."

Surely.

One of the compensations of this existence is that a girl can be darned good-looking without winning a beauty contest.

Two Eyes, One Tongue.

Though we have two eyes, we are supplied with but one tongue. Draw your own moral.—Alphonse Karr.



Many disastrous accidents might have been avoided if proper care and attention had been given the eyes. Let us provide your glasses and you will avoid much trouble.
JEROME J. RAMSDELL,
Opt. D.
109 S. Poinsettia
West Palm Beach

FIGHT BANDITS

John Ashley, alleged head of a band of desperadoes, has not held up any place of business in Canal Point and has not been seen here, although it is reported that such rumors are in circulation on the east coast. There have, however, been many deputy sheriffs here, and it is understood that a posse was in the country along the St. Lucie River last week looking for men who are believed to have robbed the Bank of Pompano several weeks ago.

Sheriff R. C. Baker of West Palm Beach and four other men stopped in Canal Point Friday night and left early the next morning, going north. They were heavily armed. Deputy sheriffs guarded tollhouses on Conners Highway. Houses on the lake front north of Canal Point were under police surveillance.

A machine gun and rifles from the armory of the National Guard at West Palm Beach are understood to be in the possession of deputy sheriffs who are stationed in the northwestern part of the county searching for bank robbery suspects.

The Miami Herald of Monday carried a special dispatch from West Palm Beach which said that Sheriff Baker and numerous deputies returned there Sunday night from a 10-day chase of Ashley and Joe Tracey and revealed that three of the deputies had been wounded in a brush with the bandits Tuesday at Jandtstown. The story continued:

"All of the wounds were slight, two receiving flesh wounds, and the third having a finger split. Trail was picked up at Canal Point, where it led to the shore of Lake Okeechobee and followed persistently day and night.

"Near Salerno in a cove, Sheriff Baker and his men located and seized a large cabin cruiser stocked with provisions enough to last several men six months and with 200 gallons of gasoline in its magazine. The craft was seized on a tip that it was to be used by the men who robbed the Pompano bank in escaping from Florida.

"It is believed that Ashley and his companions now are in hiding in the vicinity of Salerno, 30 miles north of here, where they have numerous relatives and friends."

Dumb.

First Student—"Is that the belle of the school?" Second Student—"Yeah, in a gymnastium sense."

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R. M. Baker, Manager

Canal Point, Fla.

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LOCKTENDERS' WEEKLY REPORT OF LAKE AND CANAL LEVELS

		LAKE GROUP					COASTAL GROUP					CALOOSA GROUP				
		Chocomahtee	St. Lucie	Hillsboro	North New River	St. Johns	Hillsboro	North New River	St. Johns	St. Johns	St. Johns	Chocomahtee	St. Lucie	Hillsboro	North New River	St. Johns
Sunday, Sept. 21	Upper Pool	164	162	164	163	161	161	132	69	43	34	25	16	109	72	
	Lower Pool	142	152	156	156	158	161	139	10	45	28	25	16	109	72	
Monday, Sept. 22	Upper Pool	164	162	166	165	161	161	132	69	43	34	25	16	109	72	
	Lower Pool	142	152	156	154	157	161	132	10	44	28	28	16	109	66	
Tuesday, Sept. 23	Upper Pool	164	162	164	163	161	161	132	59	43	33	30	16	108	66	
	Lower Pool	142	152	155	153	156	161	132	10	43	29	30	16	108	63	
Wed., Sept. 24	Upper Pool	164	161	164	163	160	161	132	10	42	33	30	17	108	60	
	Lower Pool	140	152	155	152	154	161	132	10	42	33	31	17	107	60	
Thurs., Sept. 25	Upper Pool	164	162	160	162	160	161	132	56	42	33	31	17	107	60	
	Lower Pool	140	152	154	151	152	161	132	10	42	33	31	17	107	58	
Friday, Sept. 26	Upper Pool	164	161	161	162	161	161	132	55	42	33	33	18	107	60	
	Lower Pool	140	152	152	150	150	161	132	10	42	33	33	18	107	57	
Saturday, Sept. 27	Upper Pool	164	162	162	161	161	161	132	55	41	33	33	19	107	58	
	Lower Pool	140	152	150	149	150	161	132	10	41	33	33	19	107	58	

CHOSEN

CATTLE AT CHOSEN ARE IN GOOD CONDITION

Land Getting Too Valuable For Use As Pasture; Using Canal Rock For Home Improvement

CHOSEN, Oct. 6.—While the land hereabout has become too high priced for profitable cattle raising, there are still quite a few cattle nearby. The J. R. Leatherman herd on the west half of section 30, township 43, range 37, since its foundation several years ago, has been a fine one. It numbers around 200 head at present and is in good to excellent condition. Many of the animals without any go what ever are in good butchering flesh. Morris Brothers have taken over the I. W. Leatherman herd of Black Angus cattle to finish off and butcher during the coming vegetable season, when there will be enough local consumption to justify rather extensive butchering. These cattle have served a double purpose. They have eaten off much of the growth on the Leatherman place, the soon will be ready for the block. Mr. Leatherman plans to increase his avocado plantings and to follow poultry raising rather extensively.

The Lee Brothers herd on Torry Island also has been acquired by Morris Brothers and has been combined with the J. W. Leatherman herd, making about 100 head now located on section 25, township 43, range 36.

Geo. W. Carter has about 20 head in his herd along the lake front in section 24, township 43, range 36. This herd also has been used more to help clear up land than for the actual first return from the cattle themselves. It is only the matter of a few years until only milk cows will be kept here, we predict. Land that will make \$200 to \$500 or more per acre per year can not be used for pasture.

Local operations continue unabated, being in the nature of small plantings for early market, and larger preparations for plantings to begin around November 15. Rain has made many operations a little unsatisfactory at present but this seems more a preparation for a bumper crop later on, at abundant moisture is assured in the ground for mid-winter, when we will likely have no rains.

F. H. Friedman has returned from a visit to his old home at Sumner, Iowa, and is busy operating just south of the Hillsboro canal.

Many persons are availing themselves of the opportunity to buy some rock from the state at 20 cents per cubic

yard. This is a part of the material excavated from the Hillsboro canal by the dredge Panama. Cement walks, drives to garages, garage floors and rock fills around buildings are being made, much to the satisfaction of the users. We are grateful to the officials for their action in allowing purchases for so large a amount of material is on the canal banks it must be moved after the roads along the banks are provided for.

PALM BEACH COUNTY

A municipal playground was dedicated at Lake Worth last week.

A move to incorporate the town of Port Seawall has been put under way. A free kindergarten is to be conducted by the Protestant churches of Lake Worth.

Three hundred more pupils enrolled in the Lake Worth schools on the opening last week than were enrolled last year.

An election on a proposition to issue \$250,000 bonds to pay for dredging an inlet at Stuart will be voted on in the St. Lucie inlet district on October 28.

November 7 is the date fixed for an election on a proposition to create a special bridge and road district in the county front and issue \$625,000 bonds for seven roads and three bridges. The polling place will be at Kelsey City.

Funeral services for Deputy Sheriff Morris R. Johns of Stuart, who died Wednesday night of last week of acute indigestion, were held at the Stuart Methodist church Thursday. The body was buried at Stuart. It was reported on East Beach that Mr. Johns had been shot. This report was not true.

The value of buildings for the erection of which permits were issued in Lake Worth during September was estimated at \$107,825. With the exception of May, when the total was over \$300,000, this exceeded any other month of the present year. To October 1 the permits show building of a total value of \$643,000.

C. S. Ucker, head of the development of the Seaboard Air Line, with headquarters at Savannah, Ga., and his assistant, E. D. Davis, with headquarters at West Palm Beach, visited Stuart last week and procured information as to the volume of traffic in the country west of Stuart and on the route of the Seaboard's new line.

Joseph Schurty, 42, a native of Norway, ate a hearty meal and then undertook to give a diving exhibition at Rainbow Pier at Gus' Baths, Palm Beach. Twenty minutes after he had emerged from the pier his body was found floating lifeless. Death is believed to have been due to an acute attack of indigestion.

Elmer Partt, chief of police of Stuart, will get \$1250 reward for having captured J. L. George of Greenwood, S. C., at Port Sewell, Georgia, who was going under the name of Johnson and was superintending the construction of a golf course at Port Sewell, was wanted in Newberry county, S. C., on charges of moonshining and shooting an officer with intent to kill.

WEST PALM BEACH

A dispute between the federal government and the state of Florida over ownership of four islands in Lake Worth and hanging on whether the islands existed at the time Florida was admitted into the union, has been referred to the secretary of the interior on an appeal from the general land office decision, which favored the federal government.

E. J. Mas, formerly of New Jersey, and "Back" Peel, formerly of Georgia, proprietors of the Salt Air hotel, have leased the Broward hotel at Fort Lauderdale and will improve it and operate it in connection with their West Palm Beach house.

Members of the Associated Dailies of Florida met in West Palm Beach this week. Decision to advertise the state as a field to be covered by national advertisers was a part of the business transacted.

The fourth district conference of the National League of Postmasters will meet here in November. More than one hundred postal heads will attend a two-day session.

Rev. E. B. Jenkins, pastor of the Baptist church, who has preached at Pahokee many times, has gone to Asheville, N. C., to attend the funeral of his father.

A motorcade of 250 people will leave Lakeland October 13 on a five-day motorcade to West Palm Beach and other east coast cities.

MIAMI CANAL

NEIGHBORS GATHER AND SURPRISE THE LITTLES

Settlers on Miami Canal Push Their Boats Through the Hyacinths To Spend A Social Day

OKEEALANTA, Oct. 7.—There was a big crowd at Littleton on the Miami canal Sunday, September 27 when Captain R. Coper of Okeelanta brought his sturdy boat Lucy through the hyacinths in the Boles canal and landed a surprise party on the Littles.

Being Sunday, the flag was up, and Old Glory gave a welcome as well as the much surprised Littles. The bombarding party brought a plentiful supply of ammunition in the shape of fried chicken, pie, cake, etc. The day was rather showery but between showers old friend Sol shone on us in his good old Florida way and the friends were able to see the crops and compare notes on sawgrass, weed, elderrberry and custard apple land, and decided that all Glades land was better than good when cultivated and drained.

After dinner the men moved outdoors in the shade of the trees and rounded out a wonderful dining with a smoke, while the women folk gathered up the fragments and enjoyed a real visit. The friends from Okeelanta were: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Addison, Mr. and Mrs. Franz, Mrs. Geiger, Mrs. Ballenger, and Messrs. Cooper, Fenner and Coper.

Later in the afternoon the cruiser Hulda with Captain Clarence Lee in command, arrived from Okami (Miami Locks) with a jolly crowd of friends on board. They were: Mrs. Lee and sons, the Misses Addison, Hamill and Baker, and the Messrs. F. Burkett, R. J. Lee and Clarence Lee.

As is usual when folks are enjoying themselves, time passed very quickly and soon came the time for the return trip to Okeelanta. Hyacinths may be a thing of beauty but they are not a joy forever when they block the canal for a mile or more. The friends from Okami helped to speed the Okeelanta crowd and wished them a safe journey home.

A Wandering Mind.

Student in astronomy: "Has anything ever been discovered on Venus?" Professor (whose mind has wandered): "Very little, if the pictures of her are authentic."

Babies' Social Instincts.

Ever notice that the most cheerful thing a baby learns to say is "Good by"? Its social instincts develop early.

GLADES WEATHER

Kraemer			
Record of temperature at Kraemer, Fla., for week ending October 6, 1924.			
Date	High	Low	
29	85	75	
30	82	72	
1	80	75	
2	80	75	
3	80	72	
4	85	76	
5	85	72	

W. N. TURNER.

Moore Haven			
Record of meteorological observations taken by the undersigned as a cooperative observer of the Weather Bureau of the U. S. Department of Agriculture during the week ending October 4, 1924.			
Date	High	Low	Rain
29	85	70	0.55
30	85	71	0.50
1	80	67	0.00
2	83	71	0.00
3	84	63	0.00
4	85	68	0.00

4 Rainfall January 1 to October 1, 46.74 inches.

A. C. MOWAT.

Highlands County
Rainfall was below normal in Highlands county in September, a total of 3.40 inches being reported. The rainfall in that territory north of Lake Okeechobee was one of the circumstances that kept Lake Okeechobee at low level. As there was no necessity for letting water out of the lake through Hillsboro, North New River and West Palm Beach canals, farmers got by better than if rainfall had been normal.

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Pepper Seed	2.25
Ruby King	2.25
Ruby Giant	2.00
Royal King	2.00
Pimento	2.10

Cabbage Seed, Danah Growth	Per Bushel
Copenhagen Market	1.00
Early Jersey Wakefield	1.00
Charleston Wakefield	1.00
Early Flat Dutch	1.00
All Seasons	1.00
Succession	1.00

Lettuce Seed	Per Bushel
Big Boston	\$1.75
Iceberg	1.65
Prizehead	1.50
Curled Silesia	1.50
Bermuda Onion Seeds Teneriffe Growth	\$4.50
White Yellow	3.25
Red	3.75
Crystal White Wax	3.75

Field Seed	Per Bushel
Alfalfa, fancy	\$15.00
Winter Rye	2.50
Hairy Vetch	4.25
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Leave Canal Point Post office,
8 a. m.
Arrive West Palm Beach 10
a. m.
Leave City Park, West Palm
Beach, 2:30 p. m.
Leave R. R. Depot 2:45 p. m.
Leave Pointe Vista Hotel 3 p. m.
Arrive Canal Point 4:30 p. m.
Passengers called for at Paho-
ke and St. Lucie canal on re-
quest. Packages and errands at-
tended to. Special trips made
after 5 p. m.

MCCOY LINE BOAT AND BUS

Bus Schedule
Bus leaves Estabrook Hotel, Clematis
Avenue and Dixie Highway, West
Palm Beach, at 8 a. m. daily.
Bus arrives Canal Point 10 a. m.
daily. Connections to P. & W. Wed-
nesday and Friday nights at Crocodile
for Moore Haven. See below for
Moore Haven connection.
Bus arrives at West Palm Beach 2:15
p. m. daily.
Boat Schedule
Boat Crocodile leaves Canal Point
Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays
10:30 a. m. on arrival of bus from West
Palm Beach; arrives Moore Haven
2:30 p. m. and connects with Atlantic
Coast Line train at 3:15 p. m. for
Miami City and Tampa. Boat also
connects at Moore Haven with Clark
Bus Line for LaBelle and Port Myers.

PALM BUS LINE

NEW ROUTE TO
OKEECHOBEE

Leave West Palm Beach 7:40 a. m.
Arrive Canal Point 9:30 a. m.
Arrive Okeechobee City 10:30 a. m.
Leave Okeechobee City 1 p. m. Ar-
rive Canal Point 2 p. m.
Small packages carried. Tickets at
Florida Motor Transportation Co. of-
fice, City Park. Information phone
571, West Palm Beach.

ARTHUR L. FITZ-HUGH,
Owner.

FARM TALK

By Howard Sharp.

Coloring Bananas

T. L. Beckwith, fruit and vegetable agent of the Florida East Coast rail-
road, has a garden plot and some trees
on the back end of his residence lot at
his home in Miami. Instead of taking
his exercise by playing golf he works
his garden; he says he isn't old enough
to play golf, which suggests that may
be this article ought to be under the
other heading. In his garden plot are
some fig trees, and when he visited
Canal Point Saturday of last week he
looked up a fig tree here that he is ac-
quainted with. I wish Judge Hill or
C. Clinton Page of the Miami Herald
would go around to Mr. Beckwith's
place and see his fig trees and write a
story about them.

When Mr. Beckwith was at Belle
Glade a few weeks ago he visited the
banana patches and talked with the
growers and was told that the troubles
with bananas there are that the weight
of the bunches pulled the plants over
and out of the ground and that the
bananas did not "color" by turning yel-
low and putting on the appearance that
buyers expect. As to the first trouble,
Mr. Beckwith advised that the plants
be propped in a particular manner; as
to the other, he advised that the grow-
ers color the bananas. The color can
be given by the same means by which
grapefruit and oranges are colored
with carbon monoxide gas, which is
described in bulletins that can be had
from the U. S. department of agricul-
ture at Washington.

Bananas that come into New Orleans
from Central America are green; they
are shipped to distributing centers in
the north and put in storage, where the
temperature is kept down but the light
is kept out. Warmth colors bananas
but warmth also sets up decay, hence
should not be applied artificially. The
Florida banana grower can build a
little house of tar paper or other im-
penetrable material and put a smoking
lamp in the house with the bunches of
bananas and thus produce the monoxide
gas that will give the desired color.
When an Italian vendor of bananas
hangs a bunch of bananas in his sleep-
ing room it is for the purpose of color-
ing them, the human body giving off
carbon monoxide.

There are some good farmers in the
Belle Glade district—people who think
of work as well as work, and I am in
hopes that some of them will preserve
in the propagation of bananas and use
the methods Mr. Beckwith suggests.
Miss Alice Reid might do it—she has
done many creditable things on her
little farm; or M. C. Eggleston, the
man who made the tea with penum-
bra that led The Brown Company of Port-
land, Maine, to buy 65,000 acres of land
for a peanut plantation. J. F. Waters
and Charles Dimick of Pahokee are
studying and planting bananas; they
might record their experiences. The
coloring of bananas is an important
thing; several articles on the subject
by men who are putting out large
acres have said that the greenness
of the fruit is a drawback to the suc-
cess of the industry in Florida.

Watering Tomatoes

A good many years ago I ran a week-
ly newspaper in Weld county, Colorado,
of which Greeley is the county seat, the
county seat town having been estab-
lished by Horace Greeley, the editor of
the New York Tribune, who gave the
advice, "Go west, young man, go west!"
An irrigation system had been installed
there, and Irish potatoes was the chief
crop. (Potatoes afterwards gave way to
sugar beets and a beet sugar mill was
put in at Eaton.) Potato growers
found that there was a prejudice
against "spuds" grown in ground to
which water was applied artificially,
just as there used to be claims that Cal-
ifornia fruit was not as good as other
fruit because irrigation was used in
the California groves. The market for
the Weld county, Colorado, irrigation
district potatoes got so bad that the
growers were compelled to look into
their growing methods. It's funny—or
it is a human nature—that men will not
seriously consider changes in their
methods until they have to. The trouble
was found to be that the farmers
were using too much water. "When
they used less water they got a better
potato, and for a better potato there
was a better market and a better price."
With this was recalled to my mind
when I talked the other day with a
grower of tomatoes in the Pahokee dis-
trict. He had said that the best vege-
tables were made in dry seasons—that
the fruit stood up better in shipment.
This sounds reasonable. Muck soil is
exceptionally retentive of water—one
reason peat (or muck) has not been
more generally used as a fuel is that it
is so difficult to break down the cells
that hold the water, so expensive to get
all of the water out. But the rootlets
of plants can do what the powerful
machines cannot do, they can take the
water out and give it to the plant and
the fruit. It is so with eggplants and
peppers and Irish potatoes, that good
crops can be made in the muck with a
far less amount of rainfall than is re-
quired in sand land. When the several
ditches are in, a good deal of the com-
plaint about watery to-
matoes will pass. Then will come the
matter of getting the water back on the
land, as a supply of moisture for the
forthcoming season.

In growing tomatoes on the lower
extremes, the seed is the smallest item
of expense and the fertilizer is the
highest. In growing tomatoes in the
upper Everglades there is no expense
of fertilizer to get a yield as large as
the normal east coast yield; when fer-
tilizer is used the production is increas-
ed. Here as on the east coast the cost

of seed is a small item. Menaced by
nail-head rust, how long is the east
coast going to be able to stand the com-
petition of the upper Everglades? That
is something for everybody to think
about.

Until now the east coast grower
could say he had nothing to worry
about because the grower in the Lake
Okeechobee region could not get his
fruit out promptly. That was true and
it amounted to a good deal. Now, with
the same rail-road company operating
on the shore of Lake Okeechobee that
saves the east coast, it is something
else.

And it's not tomatoes alone—there
are the beans, also, and eggplant and
peppers.

For several years the growers in the
Lake Okeechobee region (the upper
Everglades) depended on the canal bank
to get their stuff to the railroad. All
of them have had the experience of
seeing boats pass on "down the canal"
while their hampers stood on the canal
bank. Maybe they got their hampers
loaded for the next trip, 24, 36 or 48
hours later than east coast boats went
to market. Nevertheless the growers in
this region got by, they held their own
and they made money. On the whole
they got along as well as did the truck-
ers elsewhere. Now isn't it pretty, cer-
tain that when they have an even break
they will make more money?

The trucking industry in South Flor-
ida is about to undergo a big change.
Some men see it coming and are pre-
paring for it; some will not see it and
will not prepare for it—they are going
to help the change by being put out of
business. It is by no means certain
that the upper Everglades is going to
benefit by the change, despite certain
of its real or apparent advantages, or
that the lower east coast is going to be
hurt. As now operated, the trucking
industry is uneconomical because there
is too much dependence on negro labor
and the labor of white women and
children and not enough dependence on
power and machinery. It's true that
the small farmer cannot afford to have
a tractor and a power driven duster,
and that's why the small farmer may
(probably will) have to give way.

Complete with the upper Everglades, the
east coast grower can increase his acre-
age, operate with power, displace a lot
of the incompetent negro laborers and
make more money than the small grow-
er in the Everglades.

Of course, the change could come
first in the upper Everglades but it is
not likely to because as a rule men do
only what they have to do. The
change will be made first by the grow-
er who is hardest pressed. Right now
the grower in the Glades has the best
of it; therefore the change probably
will be made on the east coast.

Growers in other parts of the state
make money on watermelons. Melons
are not planted largely in South Flor-
ida during the winter because the grow-
ers can use the ground more profitably
for beans, peppers, eggplants, tomatoes
and other vegetables. It is admitted,
too, that melons grown in the muck do
not have a very good flavor. It is be-
lieved, however, that by planting
melons in corn fields to get shade and
by the use of the fertilizer, a good
melon can be made in the weed land.
Shipment of melons from many of the
Florida counties will be shut off this
winter by the Georgia law that forbids
shipments through that state from tick-
infested counties in Florida. Palm
Beach, Broward and Dade counties are
free of ticks and shipments can be made
from these counties.

America's First Apartments

What is believed to be America's
first apartment house was built in
New Orleans by the Baroness Pontal-
ba, daughter of the Spanish governor
of Louisiana. Sixteen of these apart-
ment houses were erected in 1846, a
row of them on either side of the City
Plaza.

Common Sense

"Common sense is a rough, dogged
way, is technically sounder than the
special schools of philosophy, each of
which aquilates and overlooks half the
fact and half the difficulties in its
eagerness to find in some detail the
key to the whole."—George Santayana.

Mud in Alaska

Mud in Alaska in October is as
great a shock to ideas based on the
old school geography books, as hot
weather at the North pole, a condition
which explorers actually report as
existing during the "long day" season.

A Clear Explanation

Teacher—"Johnny, what are the
two genders?" Johnny—"Mascu-
line and feminine." The masculine are
divided into temperate and intemperate
and the feminine into frigid and tor-
rid."—American Legion Weekly.

Nature Provides True Furnace

Citizens living at Bahau, Pomerania,
need no furnaces, as it is said the city
is built at the foot of a partly extinct
volcano, and at times the temperature
rises thirty-nine degrees in a little
more than two hours.

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GLADES WEATHER

Canal Point
Temperature, sunshine and rainfall
record at Canal Point, Florida, for
week ending October 5, 1924.

Date	High	Low	Rain
29	86	70	0.04
30	83	71	0.27
1	83	68	0.00
2	83	68	0.00
3	85	65	0.00
4	86	69	0.00
5	84	69	0.12
Average	83	69	0.43

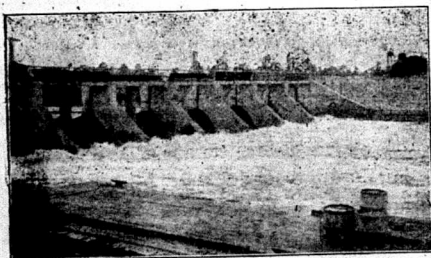
Hours of sunshine 51 hours.
Total rain since January 1, 1924,
41.45 inches. Gauge above the locks, 16
feet; gauge below the locks, 14.9 feet.
C. P. SHEFFIELD.

Everglades Experiment Station, Belle Glade

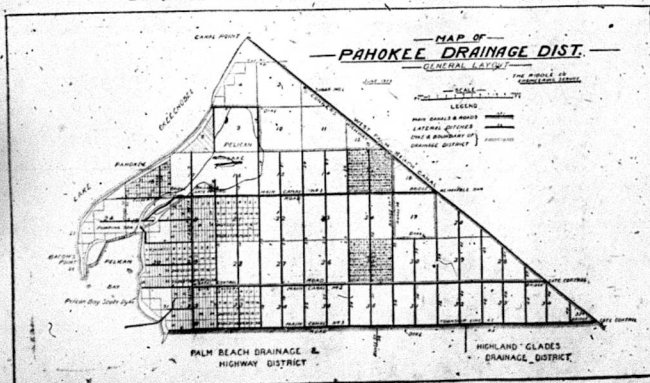
Date	High	Low	Rain	Evaporation
29	89	72	0.42	0.190
30	85	71	0.29	0.070
31	90	74	0.03	0.211
1	85	71	0.00	0.114
2	84	67	0.00	0.127
3	83	64	0.00	0.165
4	87	67	0.00	0.199

GEO. E. TEDDER, Recorder.

St. Lucie canal east lock, through which water is expected to flow to lower Lake Okeechobee.



PLAN OF PAHOKEE DRAINAGE DISTRICT



CUTTING DITCHES

Canal	And	Lake	Levels
Wed. Oct. 1, 1:30 p. m.	16.2	15.4	
Sunday, Oct. 5, 9:30 a. m.	16.1	14.9	
Monday, Oct. 6, 4:15 p. m.	16.1	15.4	
Tuesday, Oct. 7, 9 a. m.	16.3	16.4	
Thursday, Oct. 9, 8 a. m.	16.3	16.5	

Starting with the lateral on the north and south center line of section 17, which it has dug, the Buckeye ditching machine moved to dig lateral No. 1, which is in section 18 and 19. The work is being done for the Pahokee drainage district by Contractor Tom Bryan and the supervision is by A. A. Sturgis. The machine is being operated by Dan Griffith and William Goudy.

Supervisors of the Pahokee district wired on Wednesday to Chief Drainage Elliot reporting the stage of water in West Palm Beach canal and urged that flashboards be removed from the No. 2 spillway and more water be permitted to pass out, thus lowering the canal which at its present stage is running water into the sub-district ditches.

State Treasurer Luning, a member of the state drainage board, who passed through Canal Point Wednesday night said he thought maybe the canal had been held high in order to float a dredge and he suggested that the dredge be shut down for a time if this was the case.

SEABOARD DEPOT

AVON PARK, Oct. 6.—Florida's most beautiful series of passenger stations will greet visitors to the Ridge arriving via the new Florida Western & Northern line if plans for the Avon Park and Sebring station exhibited here Friday by W. R. Bernal, president of the road and vice president of the Seaboard, are a fair sample. These stations are of hollow tile construction stucco finish with brilliant colored tile roofs and ornaments. Steel gratings in ornamental pattern lend attractiveness to the windows and the architects have spared nothing in adding to the attractiveness of the structures which will have a two story front effect, with 100 foot umbrellas shed extensions from each end.

Mr. Bernal stated that the same ideas would be carried out in all the stations along the way, though, some would be smaller than the stations for the twin cities, and of course, the West Palm Beach station will be much larger. The same sized stations as the local ones probably will be located at other points of equal importance.

The architect's plans indicate that the string of stations beginning at Centerville and ending at West Palm Beach will be the finest in any 200 mile stretch of railroad in the entire country. Everything for the convenience of passengers is provided and Mr. Bernal decided while here that he would also put neat and ornamental benches beneath the umbrellas shed.

The plans exhibited here, which are to be submitted to contractors at once so that the station may be completed by January 1 calls for a structure 111 feet long for the passenger station with the 100 foot umbrellas shed at each end making a 300 foot shelter.

The waiting room for the white people is 22.28 feet and is in the front end of the structure. The room is two-stories high, the imposing pillars making a fine showing. The rest room for women, which will be modern in every way, is reached by an alcove offering a degree of privacy not usual in stations in the smaller cities. The men's rest room opens from the waiting room and adjoins the ticket agent's offices.

To the rear of the white waiting room is the waiting room for colored people, 28.21 feet with unusually comfortable and nice arrangements.

Just across Michigan avenue lies the present A. C. L. station, so that in transferring from one line to another, all the advantages of a union station are at hand with none of the disadvantages.

The station at Sebring will front on Commerce avenue, which leads out of the City to DeSoto City.

Leaving here yesterday afternoon, Mr. Bernal continued north, on a tour of inspection of the line, which he stated again will be hauling passengers by January 1.

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Isn't It A Fact?

An editor has to become just about so old before he remains entirely unperturbed by the talk of a new political party.

Activities Restricted.

Former cabinet ministers in Spain are prohibited from holding positions as directors or members of administrative councils of corporations.

Severe Case.

"Mamma! Mamma!" cried the little girl at the circus, looking at a leopard, "that doggie has the largest measles I ever saw!"

How to Distinguish Butterflies. Butterflies may be distinguished from moths by their antennae being thickened at the extremities.

Human Ingenuity.

Most of the human ingenuity is devoted to making more machinery; very little to thinking out a method to lessen crime.

Directing Knowledge.

First Cannibal—"I have a stomach ache." Second Cannibal—"It must be that grad-u-ate."

Felt a Tartar Invention.

Felt was a Tartar invention, and goes back thousands of years. In North Asia, beds, clothes, houses and much else are all of felt.

WANT ADS

ONE CENT A WORD

That is the charge for small ads in the same size type the reading matter is in. Write the ad, count the words and send as much money to pay for it as the words amount to. The rate of one cent a word is for one week. For two weeks double the amount.

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